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Title : MEMBRANE-ELECTRODE ASSEMBLIES FOR DIRECT METHANOL
FUEL CELLS

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of
Application under 37 CFR \$1.53(b) mailed March 30, 2000 (a copy
of which is enclosed), applicant as a small entity submits
herewith the following:

- ☒ Payment of the basic filing fee of \$345;
- ☒ Payment of the additional/multiple dependent claims
fees of \$156;
- ☒ Payment of the surcharge of \$65 for late filing of the
basic filing fee and/or declaration.
- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. \$1.136 for a
1 month extension of time \$55.
- ☒ A check in the total amount of \$621 is attached.
- ☒ A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status;
- ☒ A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in
compliance with 37 CFR \$1.63;

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- ☐ A verified English translation of the application and payment of the \$0 fee required under 37 CFR \$1.17(k); and
- ☐ Other:

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

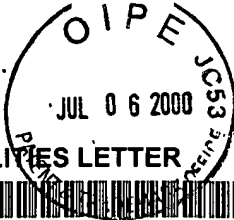
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$156.
■ \$156 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 976.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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